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## A Million Feet or More.

To do a business of any size  
It's necessary to advertise.  
For how else would the people know  
The benefits we would bestow?

How could they know that our big store  
Spreads o'er a million feet or more,  
Unless we bring it before their eyes?  
And this we do, by advertise—

How would they know that we expose  
Ladies', child's and misses' hose,  
At prices away down, down,  
Below any they find in town?

For our embroideries, that beat them all,  
Many would not know to call;  
So of our laces, how could they tell  
That not elsewhere could they do as well?

Our corsets! how unkind 't would be,  
Not to invite the ladies,—see?  
Embrace the form, with a charm,  
Gentle as a lover's arm.

Our dress goods are so charming, nice,  
The ladies all should see and price,  
They'll so enjoy the lovely sight  
Sweet dreams will follow to the night.

A. LYNCH.

## NEW SPRING STOCK NOW ARRIVING AT H. J. GILLEN'S. Special Attractions IN Table Linens, Towelings, and all Linen Goods, ALSO Prints and Other Spring Dress Goods. NEW CARPETS

Now Arriving Daily, which are  
of the choicest fabrics and de-  
signs. Don't fail to see them,  
for the styles this season are  
extra choice and attractive.

## PRICES LOW

And Satisfaction Guaranteed.

H. J. GILLEN.

## LIVERY AND FEED STABLE AND HACK LINE.

150. TELEPHONE. 150.

## PETER EGAN

Would respectfully announce to the citizens of Ottawa  
and vicinity that he has one of the choicest Livery  
Stables in the city, at the City Stables, such as

The Latest Styles of Hacks,  
Carriages and Buggies,

To let at prices to suit the times. Parties, Weddings,  
Funerals, Picnics, etc., supplied with Good Hips on short  
notice. Parties in the country or adjoining towns  
promptly attended to. Persons taking to or from the  
depot, or to the country, night or day.  
Remember the place—On Madison street, east of  
depot, one block west of new court house.  
Ottawa Feb. 9 1887. PETER EGAN.

Christian Kerste, a well known and emi-  
nently worthy German citizen of Ottawa, de-  
sires to be town collector. He ran twice  
against Mr. J. S. Hoban, and each time came  
within scarcely more than half a dozen votes  
of getting there. He is strictly temperate, is  
inexperienced for work by reason of being  
somewhat crippled, has a large family, is poor  
and perfectly competent. Mr. Hoban has  
made a good officer, but having twice held  
that office, should give way to "Christie."  
Give a poor man a chance.

James Hoban's announcement appears else-  
where for the town collectorship. Everybody  
knows he has made a reliable and safe officer.  
What more can we say?

**Gillen's Spring Sale.**  
Our announcement of last week, that Mr.  
J. J. Gillen was filling up his extensive estab-  
lishment with new and desirable spring goods,  
and the prediction that they would draw a  
crowd of customers has been more than ful-  
filled by the results. Crowds of people have  
filled the store daily, and the sales have been  
very large. The stock is superb, and covers  
everything that anyone could desire in the  
way of choice goods in each department of  
his house. Mr. G. has long ago made it a  
point that whatever he says about his stock  
shall be proven beyond a doubt by inspection  
of what his shelves and counters show, and  
his promises are never found wanting. We  
took a look through the house, yesterday, in  
his absence, and everywhere found abundant  
and convincing proof of what we have said.  
He has a truly mammoth stock of choice new  
goods, and every line is complete with new  
and seasonable goods, of the latest and best  
style. After his long experience as a business  
man of Ottawa, he cannot, and we are sure  
will not, allow his excellent reputation to be  
lessened in the slightest particular, and there-  
fore all may be sure that what he says, or  
what is said of him in these columns means  
business.

**An Expensive Fire.**  
Yesterday morning at five o'clock, the Ken-  
dall county court house, at Yorkville, caught  
fire, from some cause not known here, and  
was made a total loss, the records included.  
As the building was located at a safe distance  
from all surrounding houses the origin of the  
fire is a mystery. It was built in 1862, and  
cost the county about \$40,000. It was built  
of brick, on a stone foundation, and the jail  
was in connection.

Al. Thomas is a candidate for commissioner  
of highways, and announces himself for the  
office, subject to the wishes of the voters. He  
was a candidate for the office last year and  
had to succumb. He should be elected on  
account of his superior ability as to road mak-  
ing. He is entitled to the support of the vot-  
ers.—*Wochenblatt.*

**J. E. Scott & Co.**  
Have had a rushing trade this week in dress  
goods. Their new dress goods are going off  
like hot cakes.

The latest at J. E. Scott & Co's, yard wide  
check dress goods, 25c. A beautiful lot of  
new all wool and silk and wool dress goods,  
40 and 50c. Also a large new lot of fine French  
dress goods, at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. All the  
new shades in sets, at \$1.00. These are  
very elegant for dresses.

Next week, commencing Monday, J. E. Scott  
& Co. will commence a special sale and display  
of carpets. All the new spring styles will be  
on exhibition. You can select your carpets  
now and have them made up to be put down  
when wanted.

Bishop Burgess, of the diocese of Quiney,  
acting for Bishop McLaren, will preach at  
Christ church on Monday evening next.

**FIRST-CLASS STYLES.**—Werner, the popular  
boot and shoe dealer, on Madison street, has  
a surprisingly fine stock of goods. He has  
all the new styles, and especially some pretty  
novelties which attract attention from all the  
ladies.

Light Brahma eggs, \$1.00 a setting. En-  
quire at McMullens, of JAS. FARRELL.

**NEW SPRING MILLINERY.**—Miss A. D. Brady  
has returned from New York city with a  
splendid assortment of new spring styles of  
millinery. Every one stops to look at the  
new and pretty hats, and she has within, two  
cases of exquisitely pretty imported novelties  
that cannot fail to catch every lady's eye.  
Her new spring stock is doubtless the best  
ever shown here, and fashionable ladies will  
appreciate it. She will have an eastern trim-  
mer by April 1st. Call and look at her pretty  
school and misses' hats, which she will make  
as a specialty.

**BRADY.**—Mrs. Owen Brady, of Ransom, was  
in the city this week, visiting friends and at-  
tending to various matters of business and  
shopping.

Fine tailor made suits—fine material—ele-  
gant fitting garments at low prices at Oak  
Hall, the One Price Clothiers.

**Amusements.**  
On Tuesday evening, March 29th, the Op-  
era House will be occupied by Mr. Dan A.  
Kelly and his own strong supporting com-  
pany, in the great melodramatic success,  
"The Shadow Detective." Mr. Kelly is the  
manager of the Front St. Theatre, Baltimore,  
and has the reputation of being the best  
character actor in America. The play is an  
excellent one, and one in which Mr. Kelly  
will impersonate four different characters—  
an Italian, an Irishman, a leading man and  
an old Yankee. The company are appearing  
this week in Chicago.

A novel entertainment will be given at the  
Opera House on next Friday evening, April  
1st, when the Michigan University Glee Club  
will give a concert. The club is composed of  
16 male voices; and the programme will in-  
clude male quartette music of a high class;  
and a liberal quota of college songs. The  
college song *sui generis*. The music stores  
sell them in quantity and all the young peo-  
ple sing at them; but the college song "as  
she is sung" on the campus is not the same  
article when sung by the miss in the parlor;  
and it is doubtful if anyone but a college  
man or college men can sing it. There  
for the concert will be a rare treat. It will  
treat the *hoi polloi* to a feast of the real arti-  
cle, while the college man will listen to them  
dreaming dreams of the past and recalling  
times past when he too joined in the effort  
to make night melodious and the more often  
successful attempts at making it "hideous."  
A vocal interest attaches to the concert, in  
that our townsman, C. P. Taylor, will appear  
as one of the second tenors.

**Yes, We Mean It!**  
Just what we say every time, and that is,  
we have the largest, best arranged store in  
the county or this part of the state. We  
haven't a "million feet," nor a "sky light" that  
covers the whole store, but lots of light  
through windows, as you have them in your  
homes. Come and see.

Yes, come and see our check tricots at 40c.  
Come and see the new dress goods that ar-  
rived yesterday. Elegant, at 50c.  
Come and see our body Brussels carpets at  
\$1.00.

Come and see our 35c ladies' balbrigan vesta  
and Jersey underwear, and all the latest nov-  
elties, and then you will know for yourself  
that we have the best assortment and best  
grade of goods at prices that are right.

W. H. HULL & Co.  
Latest style stiff hats—Dunlads, Youman,  
Miller & Co. and Knux brands, at M. Stiefel's  
white corner.

A good, easy fitting shoe is a great comfort.  
These you can find at J. E. Scott & Co's  
shoe department.

Miss Montgomery will arrive home today  
after an absence of two weeks, buying mil-  
linery for J. E. Scott & Co's "millinery de-  
partment." Any day next week the ladies  
will find Miss Montgomery and her assistants  
on hand to show them the new stock.

**NASH.**—Rev. F. B. Nash and wife, of Fargo,  
Dak., were yesterday guests of Dr. Stout. He  
was formerly pastor of the Episcopal church  
here, and went to Minnesota, and then to Da-  
kota, his health not permitting confinement  
indoors. He was on his way to Burlington,  
Iowa, (where he was located years ago), to  
preach a sermon on Sunday, tomorrow.

Largest stock of spring clothing in the city  
at M. Stiefel's.

**Personal.**  
Co. D.—Company D have removed into  
their new quarters in the rink.

**Tom.**—Thos. Marvin, of Utica, formerly of  
Ottawa, was here on Wednesday last, look-  
ing as "easy as a jay bird."

**Hurt.**—Jacob Hottinger while at work in  
Strawn's planing mill, on Wednesday got  
his hand caught in the machinery, crushing  
it fearfully.

**LAW.**—Silas Strawn, has tackled Black-  
stone, Choat, Kent, and those tough legal  
fellows, under the instruction E. F. Bull,  
Strawn & Ruger.

**MASK.**—Prof. Willis' juvenile masquerade  
will come off on Tuesday evening March 31st,  
at his hall.

**CHURCH.**—The subject of Rev. Warren F.  
Day's sermon, next Sunday morning, will  
be "The Hope which Christ Brings to the  
Aged."

**SPEED.**—Lewis W. Hess has sold his hand-  
some pacer for \$150 to a Chicago alderman.  
**Book.**—John L. Tilden of Peru, threatens  
to publish a book about Peru. If it be as  
racy reading as the prospectus it will aston-  
ish the world.

**BROKEN.**—Mr. C. G. Russell's little boy  
fell from a high chair, Wednesday, and broke  
his collar bone and dislocated a shoulder.  
A year ago he broke the other collar bone in  
falling from a bed.

**RED.**—Mr. David Reddick of La Salle,  
brother of the late Wm. Reddick, called at  
this office last Wednesday. He was accom-  
panied by his daughter, Mrs. Green, of Knox  
Co.

**ILL.**—Miss Ann Gillen, a sister of H. J.  
Gillen, is very ill, it was reported last even-  
ing, with doubtful chance of recovery.

**Geo.**—Geo. M. Lindley, of Chicago, was  
here on Thursday night to visit his mother,  
Mrs. Philo Lindley, who is very ill.

**SAM.**—Hon. S. C. Wiley, of Earlville, gave  
his many friends in Ottawa, yesterday, the  
light of his genial countenance.

**FLORY.**—Mr. Fork Bradshaw, a well and  
favorably known resident of Freedom, was  
the guest of Miss Katie Flory of Wallace, on  
Sunday last.

**SCOTT.**—The new window at J. E. Scott  
& Co's store, adds much to the light in that  
extensive house. A new awning, curtains  
for the front and other improvements are  
being made.

**ECORSE.**—Mr. Solomon Degen and his son  
Lewis will start for France tomorrow to pur-  
chase a new lot of horses for Degen Bros.

**SCOTT.**—Mr. S. S. Scott, of the wild, wild  
west, Salina, Kansas, has returned to Ottawa  
to see how things look back in civilization.  
He will return to his hunting grounds, to-  
wards the setting sun, in about a quarter of a  
noon.

**KING.**—Mrs. Fred King, of East Ottawa,  
has returned from attending the funeral of  
her father in Wisconsin.

**JOHN.**—John M. Dougherty, for seven  
years a tin-smith at Smeaton's, has become a  
partner in the gas fitting business with John  
W. Clegg.

Get the Dunlap hat; the latest. At Oak  
Hall, north of court house.

**Highway Improvement.**

At the recent special meeting of the Busi-  
ness Men's Association, Wm. Thomas sub-  
mitted a petition requesting the town clerk  
to give notice for the legal voters of the town  
of Ottawa, at the coming town meeting to  
vote for or against a tax levy of 75 cents on  
each 100 dollars of taxable property in said  
town, which will raise about \$3,000, or  
\$2,000 per mile, to gravel the following  
roads leading out of Ottawa: The plank road,  
the Duffy and Coles road, brewery hill road,  
and the Strawn road, leading northwest of  
Buffalo Rock. The petition was signed by  
all present, who are voters in the town of  
Ottawa. The proposition was unanimously  
adopted.

**Beautiful Easter**  
Clothing for the boys, new, stylish and  
cheap. A first-class all-wool suit for \$5 at  
FISKE & BEEM'S.

**A Real Boom in Ottawa.**  
We don't expect it would be quite such a  
big thing. But it has come in the boys' and  
children's clothing department at Fiske &  
Beem's. Come and see for yourselves.

Our hat stock includes all the new and  
desirable shapes and colors in soft and stiff  
hats for men, youths and children, to be  
found in the United States, at prices far be-  
low all competitors. We can save you from  
25 cents to \$1 on every hat you buy and  
give you the finest line in the state to select  
from. This is not wind, but solid facts.  
FISKE & BEEM.

**At Fiske & Beem's.**  
New styles of gents' spring silk hats.  
New styles of gents' soft hats.  
New styles of boys' hats.  
And a big assortment of nice hats for all,  
and very reasonable as to price.

Also, an extensive line of youths' and  
children's clothing, new fashions, new  
goods and well made, at surprisingly low  
prices.

This department is full of neat and be-  
coming suits of nice goods for lads and chil-  
dren, and all made as neatly and carefully  
as it for men. The prices can't help but  
please you.

The merchant tailoring department at  
Fiske & Beem's has never been in better  
condition than it is now. Don't you forget  
it. If you want a really nice suit of dura-  
ble goods, made properly and at common  
sense figures, you will find just what you  
want at  
FISKE & BEEM'S.

If you want a pair of shoes to fit your feet  
and cheap for cash, go to J. Megaffin's.

Look in at the window at Oak Hall and see  
the fine display of cassimere shirts and neck  
wear for Spring.

**Obituary.**  
Last Saturday night, while dragging the  
canal for the body of Thos. Murray, to the  
surprise of the searchers, the body of Wm.  
Butler was found, in an upright position,  
near La Salle street bridge. He had not  
been missing. He had been seen down town  
that evening, and at supper at Keating's ho-  
tel. He was 80 years old, the father of Ste-  
phen Butler, of the firm of Maher & Butler,  
and had for many years been a citizen of  
Ottawa, and always an honorable and kindly  
disposed man, proverbial for a gentle and  
forgiving disposition.

On the same night the body of Thomas  
Murray, previously missing, was found in  
the feeder, near the Rock Island R. R.  
bridge, near where he had been clearing up  
a yard for Mr. Delehanty. He was 63 years  
old, and left a numerous family, all grown.

On the same day a man named August  
Peterson was found in the Illinois river  
near Locoyville. He seems to have broken  
through the ice. He had been missing two  
months.

Jennie Charlton, aged 40, died of con-  
sumption, at the county asylum, on Friday  
last, and was buried on Sunday.

James Higgins, a well known artisan at  
Chimney Works in this city, went to Brook-  
lyn, N. Y., about three weeks ago, and word  
came yesterday morning by telegraph  
that he was dead. His wife left in the evening  
for Brooklyn. He had been in ill health  
for some time. He was highly esteemed by  
all who knew him.

Mr. Michael Ford, a very old man, for  
over fifty years a resident of La Salle county  
and most of that time in Ottawa or Wallace,  
the father of Supervisor James Ford, died  
at his home on Thursday night of old age.

Buy good working shirts for \$1.00 at Oak  
Hall.

Fine Penning shirt waists for boys. Elegant  
styles at Oak Hall.

**Business Men's Association.**

The business men at their meeting com-  
pleted their organization on Saturday eve-  
ning by electing the following officers: Presi-  
dent, T. D. Catlin; Vice President, Henry  
Mayo; Secretary, H. G. Cotton; Treasurer,  
Ben. Hess. Mr. Catlin, on being escorted  
to the chair, made a brief speech, full of  
hope for the future of Ottawa, basing his  
chances for growth on a little united work  
by this society. Nature has done her part  
fully. We can make the city great, simply  
by extending a knowledge of her advantages.  
Thirty-four members were present, and a  
much larger number have signed the consti-  
tution. Questions of improving the roads  
leading out of this city in the adjoining  
towns were discussed, and Wm. Thomas ap-  
pointed to present the same to the next  
meeting. Adjourned, to meet on Monday  
next, at 7:30 P. M., at the court house.

One hundred dozen white shirts, unlaun-  
dered, going at from 50c to \$1.00.

**To Farmers.**  
We have a good supply of harness and  
lubricating oil of the best quality.  
E. Y. GREGG.

Michigan has passed a law giving one cent  
a head for "the scalps" of English spar-  
rows. A practical old farmer in the legisla-  
ture voted against it because he said, "The  
blamed Yankees would open hatcheries and  
breed the damned little furrin' bird for the  
cent apiece and grow rich in the business."

## Quality and Quantity.

30 lbs. California Rice for - \$1.00.  
Choice Pickles, - - - - 5c doz.  
Cracked Pearl Wheat, - - 5c lb.  
Alacinte Figs, 10c lb, or 3 lbs for 25.

More Bargains. Come and See.

## W. C. RIALE & CO.

### SEWERAGE CONVENTION.

At Ottawa, Tuesday, March 29.

In pursuance of notice, a special meeting  
of the Business Men's Association was held  
at the office of Mayo & Widmer, on Wednes-  
day evening last, in response to a request of  
a similar association at Joliet for a joint con-  
vention of all the towns interested from  
Lockport to Peoria, to consider the question  
of turning the sewage of Chicago down the  
canal and the Des Plaines river to the Illinois  
river. President Catlin presided, and the  
attendance was large. Mayor Allen stated  
the object of the meeting as above. Tues-  
day, March 29th, at 2 o'clock, P. M., was  
fixed as the time for the convention. The place  
and minor details were left to the delegates  
from Ottawa, who was appointed as follows:  
Hon. E. C. Allen, T. D. Catlin, C. D. Trimble,  
Henry Mayo, Jas. W. Duncan, E. Y. Griggs  
and Wm. Thomas.

### Sale of Household Goods.

At the residence of S. S. Scott, corner of  
York and Main streets, beginning today, Sat-  
urday March 26th, there will be a general  
sale of all household furniture and other  
goods. Bed room sets, lounges, wardrobes,  
chairs, extension and center tables, cooking  
and heating stoves, carpets, rugs, &c.; one  
horse, two sets harness and a two-seated car-  
riage. Parties wishing anything will do  
well to examine same. For three days only,  
beginning Saturday, March 26th.

We are authorized to announce A. E. Bach  
as a candidate for the office of assessor, of  
the town of Ottawa, at the ensuing town  
election.

We are authorized to announce Thos. A.  
Burke as a candidate for the office of assis-  
tant supervisor, of the town of Ottawa, at  
the town election, April 5th.

A neat, dressy pair of shoes for \$2 at J.  
Megaffin's.

An inmate of the county asylum recently  
left that institution because he couldn't get  
fresh-laid eggs every meal. He was egg-  
straordinarily exacting as to his egg-eat-  
ing in this egg-economy, and he is egg-same  
egg-cusable.

\$5,000 to loan, on real estate security.  
Enquire at the office of Duncan, O'Connor &  
Gilbert.

MONEY TO LOAN on farm property. Apply  
to C. Griggs, attorney at law.

For harness or lubricating oil, call at E.  
Y. Griggs' drug store.

### Probate Court.

JUDGE EVANS.

**Final Settlement.**—Orders of final settle-  
ment to April term: Estates of Wm. Wals-  
worth, E. T. Ostergard, Warren Dodge, John  
Lesley and Jacob Freeman.

**Claims Adjusted.**—Estates of M. Hesland,  
\$18.39; Warren Dodge, \$15.50; Halver Pat-  
erson, \$272.45; Wm. B. Magee, \$700; John  
W. Smith, \$207; Joseph J. Johnson, \$475;  
Mary E. Egan, \$52; Chas. C. Kanapf, \$350;  
Joseph Schellkopf, \$287; Thos. F. Kennedy,  
\$115; John Callahan, \$274.45; Thos. Carey,  
\$250; Peter Noel, \$145; Rachel Kember,  
\$300; Peter Noel, \$300.47.

**Proofs of notice of final settlement.**—Estates  
of Jas. McIntyre, Ella J. Harnick, Henry  
Reil, Samuel J. Chapman, Evar Anderson,  
Samuel Pearson, Phillip Snell, and Sebastian  
Hunzinger.

**Final settlements concluded.**—Estates of  
Samuel N. Mase, settled and order of distribu-  
tion made; John H. Flaley, Thomas Wil-  
son and David Hite; est. of Michael Lawless  
continued till next term.

**Petitions to sell real estate.**—Mary O'Kane  
et al, Jane Holland, Richard DeCosta, Au-  
gustus Johnson.

**Supers filed in estates of.**—Wm. Donnell,  
petition to sell personal property granted,  
appraisement bill and inventory; Wm. B. Ma-  
gee, appraisement bill, inventory, widow's  
relinquishment and selection; John M. Smith,  
appraisement bill and inventory; C. C. Kanapf,  
appraisement bill and widow's relinquish-  
ment; John Callahan, report of sale of per-  
sonal property; Thomas Carey, report of  
sale of personal property, appraisement bill  
and inventory; Rachel Kember, report of  
sale of property; Elizabeth George et al,  
minors, inventory; Susan Huss, accounts;  
John Zimmerman, a minor, allowance of  
support; Susan C. Finley, minor, leave to  
sell real estate; John Kilmer, distracted,  
examined by a jury, found non compos, Cy-  
rus W. Pomeroy, conservator.

### Renews Her Youth.

Mrs. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co.,  
Iowa, tells the following remarkable story,  
the truth of which is vouched for by the  
residents of the town: "I am 73 years old,  
and have been troubled with kidney com-  
plaint and lameness for many years; could  
not dress myself without help. Now I am  
free from all pain and soreness, and am able  
to do all my own housework. I owe my  
thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed  
my youth, and removed completely all dis-  
ease and pain." Try a bottle, only 50  
cents, at D. Lorriau's drug store.

### Alshuler's Remarks.

The new spring styles of ready-made cloth-  
ing are coming at Alshuler's. Coming every  
day and lots of them. We have made extra  
efforts this season to select the finest and  
best goods of all grades for gents' wear and  
think we have succeeded admirably. We  
have a surprise for our patrons in the way  
of novelties in gents' furnishing goods. Our  
stock is very large and complete, but it will  
be no trouble to show goods. Our assort-  
ment is simply immense and we want you to  
see it, in fact it will pay you to call. We  
have such an assortment of spring clothing  
as cannot fail to suit the public, both as to  
quality and in the lowness of our prices.  
Call and learn the difference between our  
prices and those of our competitors.

We think these Pomeroy suits can't be  
beaten, besides we have good substantial  
goods of every sort, suitable to spring wear.  
Remember the old reliable clothier, west  
of the court house. A. ALSHULER.

Solid comfort and a perfect fit in shoes at  
J. MEGAFFIN'S.

OTTAWA, ILL., Mar. 21, 1887.

Received of Chas. E. Pettit, president of  
Good Will Lodge, No. 38, I. O. M. A., a war-  
rant for \$2,023.75, being amount of benefi-  
ciary certificate, together with accrued as-  
sessments, on the life of the late Thos. F.  
Kennedy. I take this manner of thanking  
the Independent Order of Mutual Aid for  
its promptness in paying the above claim,  
and would recommend all who want first-class  
insurance to investigate its methods of doing  
business, for by its promptness in this mat-  
ter it has shown its ability and willingness  
to meet all just claims without question. I  
would also call attention to its accrued as-  
sessment plan, which, in the above case,  
amounts to \$23.75. ADAM J. LEIPOLD.

### Juvenile Masquerade.

Prof. Willis has named the date for that  
ever popular and much looked for event—the  
juvenile masquerade. It will be given at  
Willis' Academy on Thursday evening,  
March 31, the whole class appearing in se-  
lect and unique costumes. The admission  
will be only 25 cents. Everybody invited.

A drove of extra fine, fat cattle, 19 in-  
samber, averaging 1,500 lbs., were driven  
through our streets on Wednesday to be  
shipped to Chicago. They were owned by  
Mr. Michael Ryan, of the south side.

Try those \$2.50 rock bottom shoes at J.  
Megaffin's.

### Spring Goods.

Miss Nora O'Connor, the popular milliner  
on Main street, has received a large stock,  
consisting of all the latest styles of millinery  
goods. Call and examine. One door east  
of Manley & Jordan's.

**STUCK.**—The boys at the Flint Works, in  
this city, struck last Monday, and tried to  
prevent other lads from going to work, using  
the argument of throwing stones, &c. The  
mayor, appealed to by Mr. Trimble, the  
manager of the factory, sent a special police-  
man to the scene, and since then all has  
been serene in that locality.

### For Sale.

Fred Ehrmann desires to sell his cigar  
factory and retail stand in Seneca. Any one  
wishing to purchase should call and see him.

F. EHREMAN.

**ASSISTANT.**—Mr. Donat Holbecker, who  
has long and faithfully served the people of  
the town of Ottawa as assistant supervisor,  
will be a candidate for re-election to that  
office. He will probably have no trouble in  
getting there.

In the Methodist church, Rev. D. J.  
Holmes will preach next Sunday morning on  
the Four Great Foundations of Human Happi-  
ness. In the evening he will give the second  
lecture to young men on the adage, "Go it  
while you are young." The public are cor-  
dially invited—especially young men.

**FINE.**—The city ordinances impose a fine  
of \$25 upon any one having any contagious  
disease in his or her family and failing to  
report it to the city health officer. There a  
few cases